



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Examiner: K. Frisby

Application No.: 10/697,251

Art Unit: 3714

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Confirmation No.: **9042**

For: GAMING MACHINE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

I. INTRODUCTION

In response to the Office Action dated January 10, 2007, the period for response being extended to July 10, 2007, by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith; please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1, 2, 5, 6 and 21-26 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 3, 4, and 13-20 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer, claims 1, 5 and 21 are amended and claims 22-26 are added.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)